

FLUIDIC COMPRESSION DEVICE ADAPTED TO
ACCOMMODATE AN EXTERNAL FIXATION DEVICE

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In certain embodiments, a fluidic compression device adapted to accommodate an external fixation device includes at least one fluid-impermeable bladder adapted to contain a fluid and at least one region adapted to receive and accommodate one or more external portions of an external fixation device. The fluidic compression device is adapted to be positioned about a portion of a user's body such that an opening formed within the region receives and accommodates one or more external portions of the external fixation device. The fluidic compression device is further adapted to apply intermittent compression to the portion of the user's body according to intermittent increases and decreases in fluid pressure in the bladder while the device is positioned about the portion of the user's body and is accommodating the external fixation device.